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| Class | Sub. | Date | Exmr. |
| 534 | 23,25 | 11-2-99 | HO |
| 536 | 1.1, 125 | ↓ | ↓ |
| 424 | 93.45 | ↓ | ↓ |
| 435 | 252.9 | ↓ | ↓ |
| updated | | 5-17-00 | HO |
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| SEARCH NOTES (INCLUDING SEARCH STRATEGY) | | |
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| | Date | Exmr. |
| Inventor (ALM) WEST → D-tagatase - butyrate - SCFA | 11/9/99 | HO |
| updated | 5-17-00 | HO |
| Per appeals conference w/ Rob Hill and Johann Richter, the 103 rejection of record is withdrawn and a 102(b) under Ex Parte Novitzki - innuency. | 6/3/02 | HO |
| updated | 8/20/03 | HO |